

## CITY OF NEW BEDFORD JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

September 18, 2015

Mr. David Rosanina 3806 Acushnet Avenue New Bedford, MA 02745

Dear Mr. Rosanina,

An inspection of your property behind 3806 Acushnet Avenue on September 14<sup>th</sup> 2015 revealed that trees have been cut in a Bordering Vegetated Wetland and in the 100' Buffer Zone to the Wetland. A brush pile is also located in the Buffer Zone. It appears that only 4 to 5 trees have been cut so far and I asked your wife to please halt any more cutting until you appear before the Conservation Commission.

The Wetlands and Buffer Zone are regulated under the MA Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. c.131 S40) and Regulations (310 CMR 10.00 et seq.) and the City of New Bedford Wetlands Ordinance (Section 15-101 through15-112). Please attend the next Conservation Commission meeting on Tuesday September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 6:30 PM at the Brooklawn Senior Center, 1997 Acushnet Avenue, New Bedford. The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss the cutting that has taken place in the regulated areas. If you have any questions prior to the meeting, please contact me at 508-991-6188.

Sincerely,

Sarah E. Porter

Conservation Agent

Cc: Conservation Commissioners

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